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Applicant(s): FUNABASHI
Serial No.: 09/902,672
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For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A SEMICONDUCTOR
INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICE
Group: 2825
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

January 16, 2003

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding final Office Action mailed July 18, 2002. A Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$930.000 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 843.37558VX2).

Respectfully submitted,

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